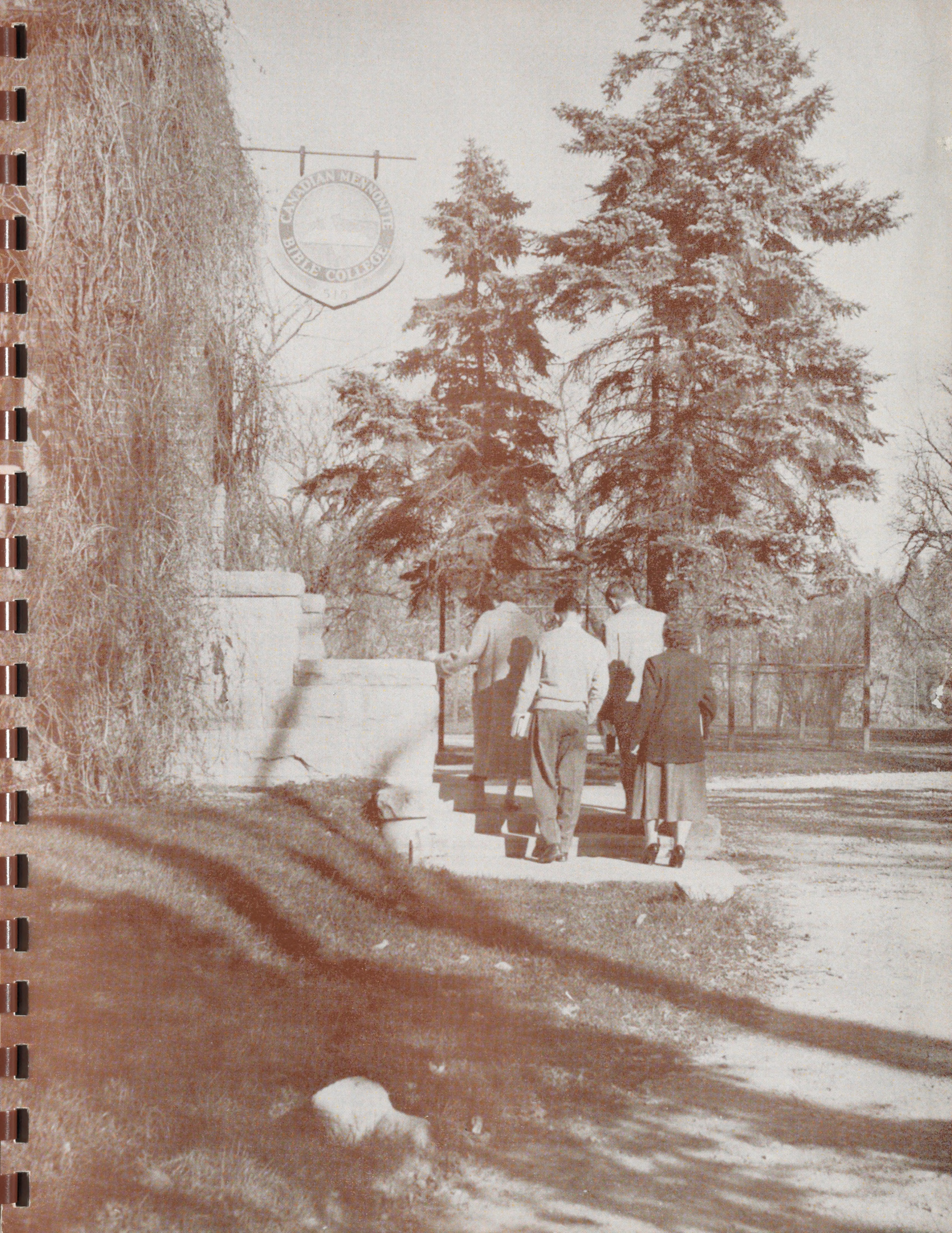


C. M. B. C. '56



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“Und auch ihr, als die lebendigen Steine, bauet euch zum geistlichen Hause und zum heiligen Priestertum, zu opfern geistliche Opfer, die Gott angenehm sind durch Jesum Christum. Darum steht in der Schrift: Siehe da, ich lege einen auserwählten, köstlichen Eckstein in Zion; und wer an ihn glaubt, der soll nicht zu Schanden werden.”

—I Petrus 2:5, 6.

C.M.B.C. is being presented to you again. It has been a year of growth, both spiritually and physically. It is our sincere hope and desire that this book will portray in some measure the growth and development we have experienced during the past year. We also hope that it will help you to appreciate and cherish your college and its work more fully.

Foreword

Den Lehrern des Colleges, die so treu
und gewissenhaft mit lebendigen Steinen,
das geistliche College auf dem Eckstein
Jesus Christus, bauen, sei dieses Buch
in Liebe und Dankbarkeit gewidmet.

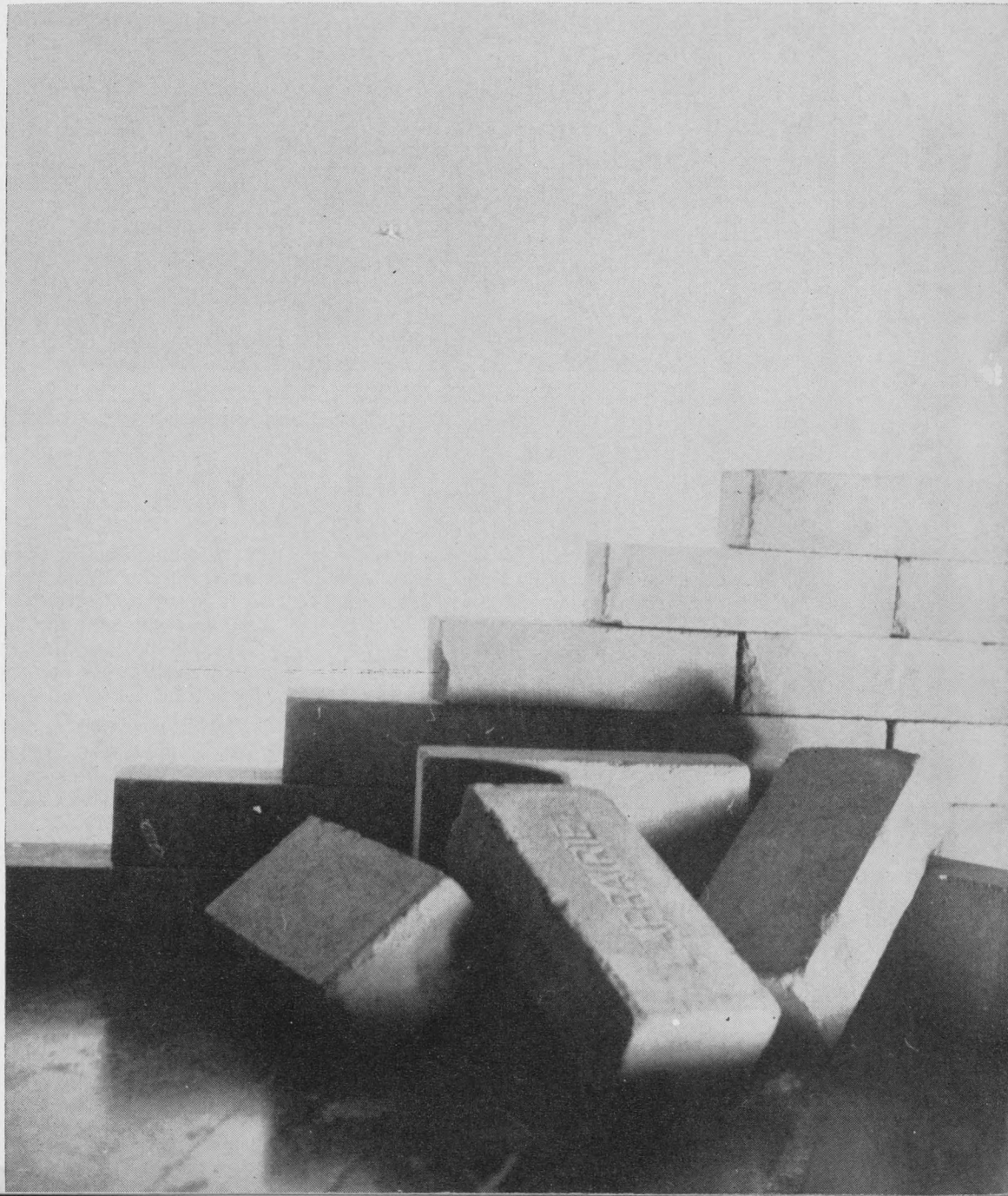
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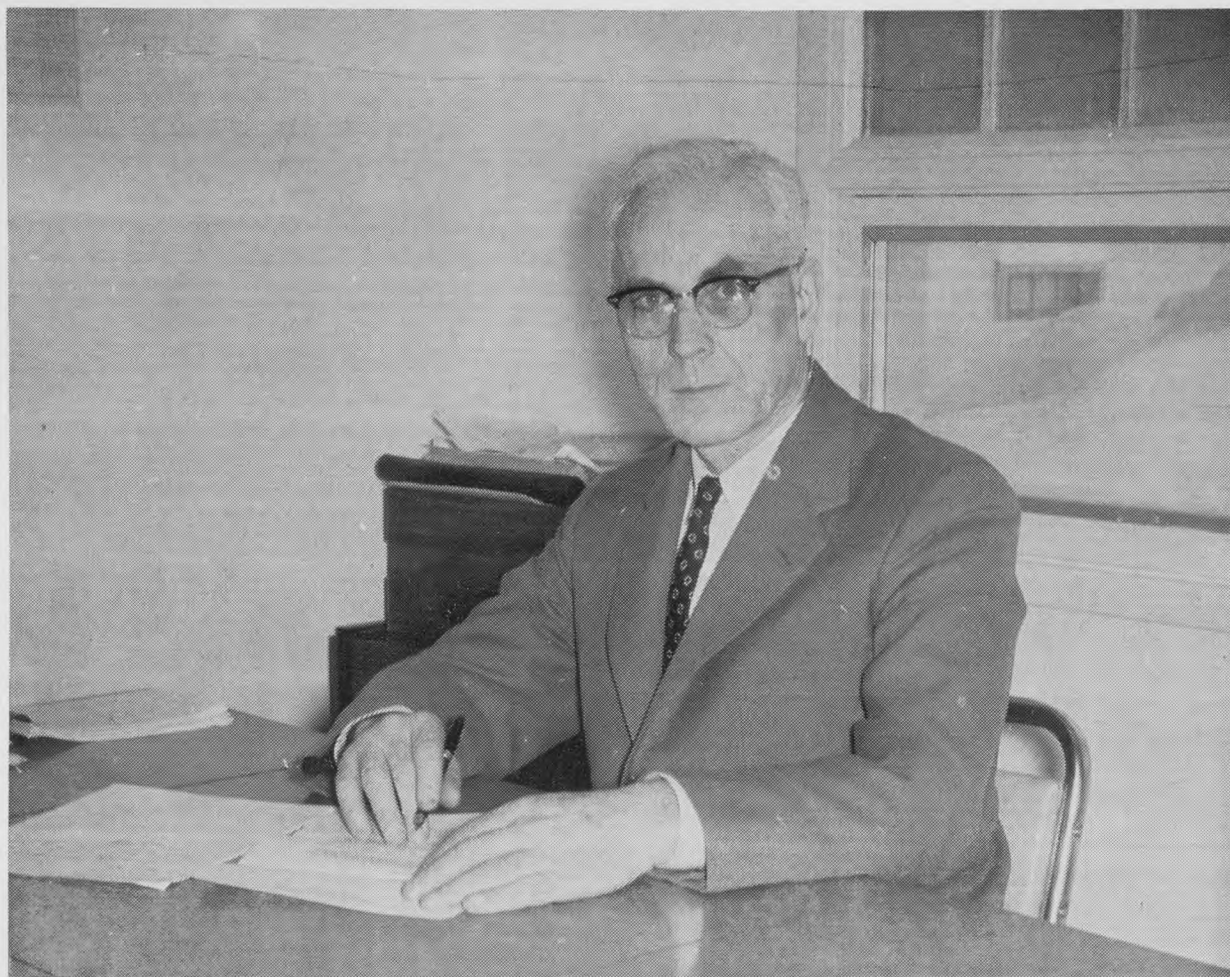


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Spiritual Builders





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Building Three Tabernacles

In Matthew 17:4 we read, "Lord it is good for us to be here: if thou wilt, let us make here three tabernacles; one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias."

Peter wanted to build three tabernacles to commemorate each of the three persons he had seen on the Mount of Transfiguration.

As we in our new Bible College look forward to building spiritually as well as materially we may well think of building three tabernacles.

First we need to build a tabernacle for Christ. Our college needs to be "Christ-centered." Christ, who stands at the center of the Christian faith must in all things continue to have the pre-eminence amongst us.

Secondly we need to build a tabernacle for Moses. The law in its divine majesty still has a

purpose for us both before and after we come to Christ. As the divine law, in all its severity faces us, it is our taskmaster to lead us to Christ. But after we have come to Christ, His high standards of absolute purity, love, honesty and unselfishness must be constantly kept in mind, if we are to be His faithful followers.

Finally we need a tabernacle for Elias, that great prophet who fearlessly took up his stand for God against the false gods of his day. We too must have a fearless testimony for our Lord at a time when millions are bowing down before other gods. But Elias' testimony and his great prayer life were intimately connected. Fire and rain came from heaven as the result of his petitions to God. May our college also be a mighty place of prayer to a God who can show us great and mighty things which we know not.

Isaac I. Friesen.

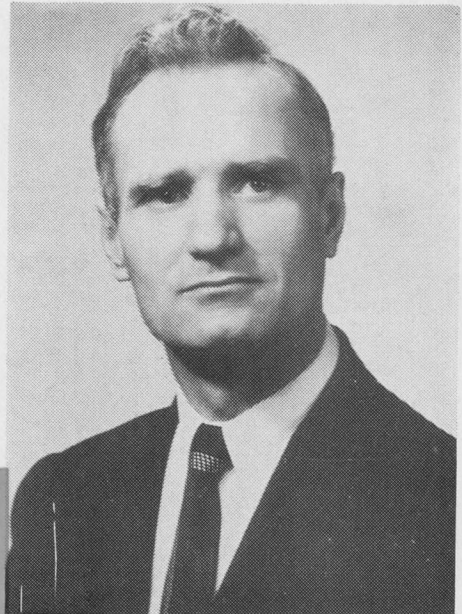
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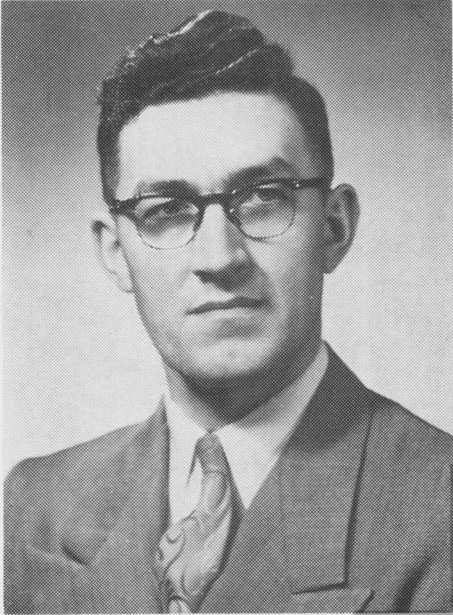




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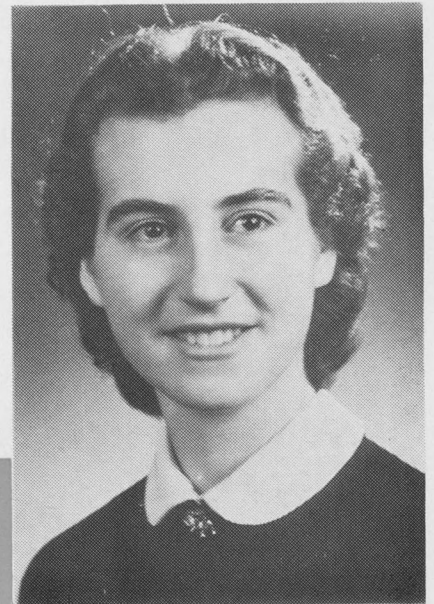


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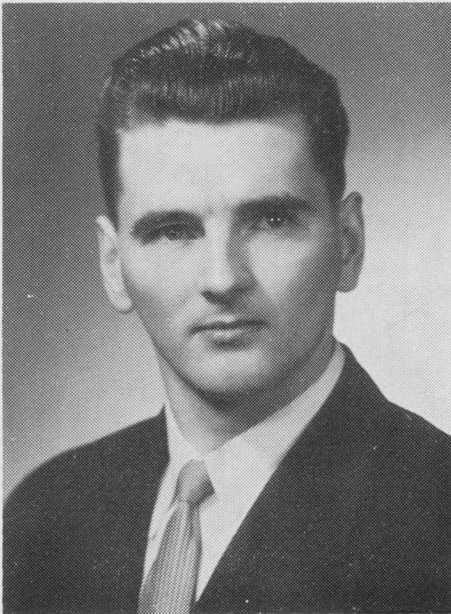
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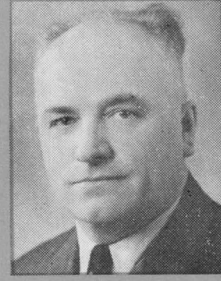
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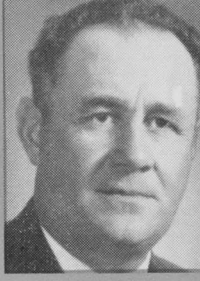
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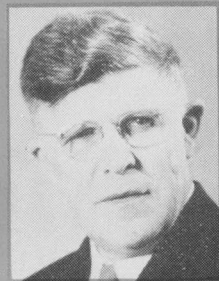
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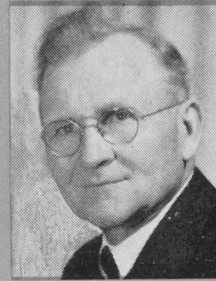
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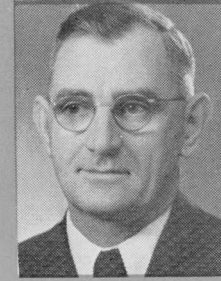
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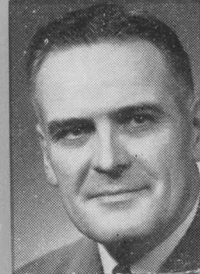
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Rev. Nic. Fransen



Rev. Paul Schroeder





JOHN, ANNE AND DAVID WIENS

College life in its varied phases, provides an excellent opportunity for the growth and development of the personality of the individual. I believe we all realize that the sustenance of the body depends upon daily nourishment. Mrs. Wiens has provided this nourishment in a very palatable manner, and meal time at C.M.B.C. has always been an enjoyable event. No doubt the social aspect as well as the food have contributed to the making of well rounded personalities.

Mr. Wiens, our able janitor, has made the college a comfortable and tidy place. Little David adds to the circle of the family the little noises which a family cannot be without.

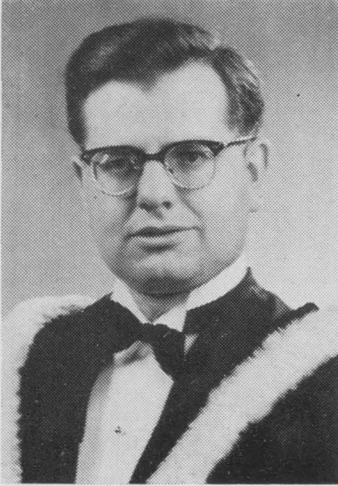
It is the aim of the college to promote an atmosphere in which the individual can develop, not only in scriptural knowledge, but also in a social way. The various activities including the dining hall experiences, lounge talks, recreational room fun and off the record happenings are all things which aid in the growth of the total man. To live and to experience things with fellow Christians and to put into practice what is taught in Scriptures is after all the best way to develop a sound Christian character.

David Braun.

Living Stones

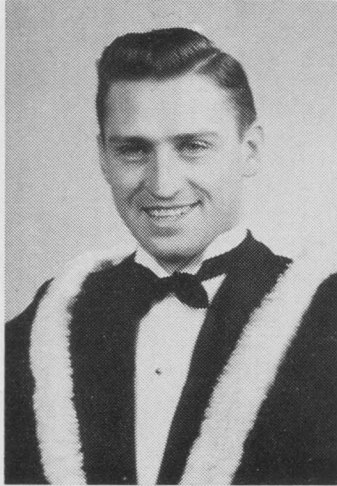


Graduates



DAVE BRAUN, Didsbury, Alta.

"And whatever ye ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith."—
Matth. 21:22.



DIEDRICH NEUFELD, Carstairs, Alta.

"For in him (Christ) the whole ful-
ness of deity dwells bodily, and you
have come to fulness of life in him."
—Col. 2:9-10a.



DIEDRICH GERBRANDT

"Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord."—
Zech. 4:6.

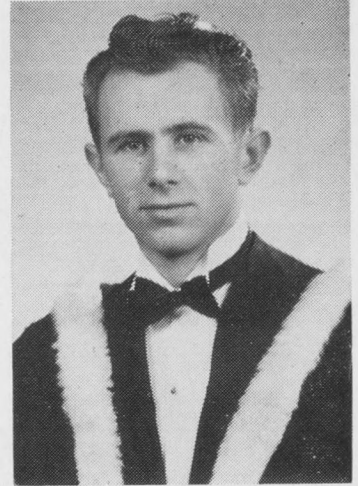


KATIE KEHLER, Abbotsford, B.C.

"Du nahest dich zu mir, wenn ich
dich anrufe, und sprichst; Fürchte
dich nicht."—Klag. 3:57.

CORNELIA LEHN, Sardis, B.C.

"... Gott der Herr ist meine Stärke
und mein Psalm und ist mein Heil."
—Jesaja 12:2.

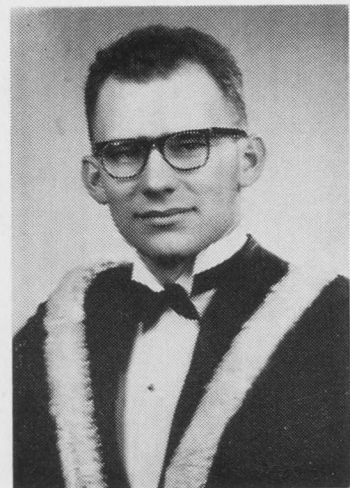


JOHN H. NEUFELD, Aldergrove, B.C.

"Fear not, for I am with you, be not dismayed, for I am your God."—
Isa. 41:10.

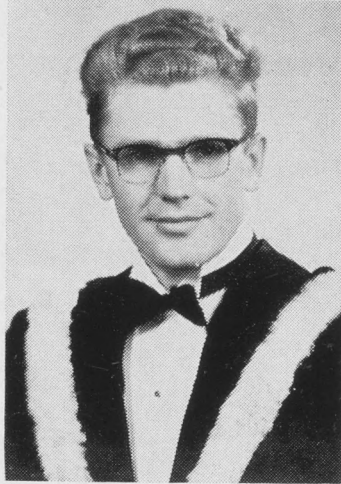
MARY REMPEL, Mission City, B.C.

"Bei dir ist die Quelle des Lebens,
und in deinem Licht sehen wir das
Licht."—Ps. 36:10.



DICK REMPEL, Mission City, B.C.

"O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God!
How unsearchable are his judgments."—Rom. 11:33.



BERNARD RETZLAFF, Rosemary,
Alta.

"Ich habe Lust zu deinen Rechten
und vergesse deiner Worte nicht."—
Ps. 119:16.

BERNICE REGIER, Laird, Sask.

"Dennoch bleibe ich stets an dir; denn du hältst mich bei meiner rechten
Hand."—Ps. 73:23.



MARGARET VOGHT, Kelowna, B.C.

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect
peace, whose mind is stayed on
thee."—Isa. 26:3.

Third Year



CLARA K. DYCK, Laird, Sask.

"The name of the Lord is a strong tower."—Prov. 18:10.

MENNO EPP, Mt. Lehman, B.C.

"Ich will dein Gesetz halten allewege, immer und ewiglich."—Ps. 119:44.



PETER LETKEMANN, Waldheim, Sask.

"That I may know him."—Phil. 3:10.

HENRY REMPEL, Chilliwack, B.C.

"But I am like a green olive tree in the house of God; I trust in the mercy of God for ever and ever."—Ps. 52:8.

Second Year

JOHN ROBERT BAERGEN, Vauxhall, Alta.

"So sind wir nun Botschafter an Christi Statt, denn Gott vermahnt durch uns."—2. Kor. 5:20.

JOHN BERGEN, Drake, Sask.

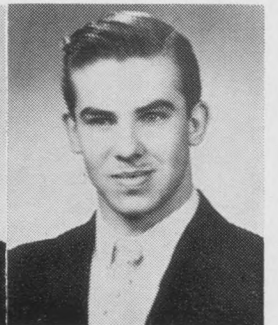
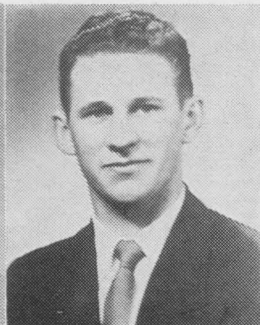
"My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness."—II Cor. 12:9.

KATIE BERGEN, Abbotsford, B.C.

"Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me."—Ps. 51:10.

OTTO DIRKS, Waterloo, Ont.

"Freuet euch in dem Herrn allewege, und abermals sage ich: Freuet euch!"—Phil. 4:4.



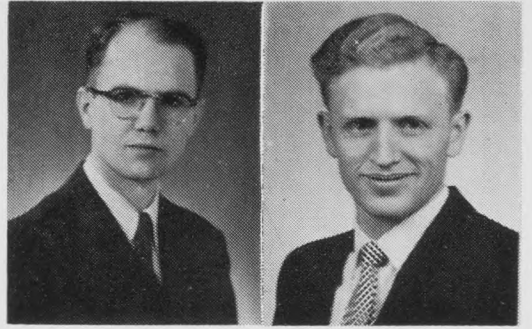


JOHN R. FRIESEN, Morden, Man.

"Let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth."—I John 3:18.

TENA FRIESEN, Homewood, Man.

"I have set the Lord always before me: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved."—Ps. 16:8.



OTTO HAMM, Winnipeg, Man.

"Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I also confess before my Father which is in Heaven."—Matth. 10:32.

HENRY ISAAC, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

"Denn das Gesetz des Geistes, der da lebendig macht in Christo Jesu, hat mich frei gemacht von dem Gesetz der Sünde und des Todes."—Rom. 8:2.



WERA JANZEN, Brazil, South America

"Er muss wachsen, ich aber muss abnehmen."—Joh. 3:30.

KATHERINE KLASSEN, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

"For thus saith the Lord God . . . in quietness and confidence shall be your strength."—Is. 30:15.

HELEN KLASSEN, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

"Lehre mich tun nach deinem Wohlgefallen, denn du bist mein Gott."—Ps. 143:10.

PETER KLASSEN, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

"Gott der Herr ist meine Stärke und mein Psalm und ist mein Heil."—Jes. 12:2.

DONALD KRAUSE, Abbotsford, B.C.

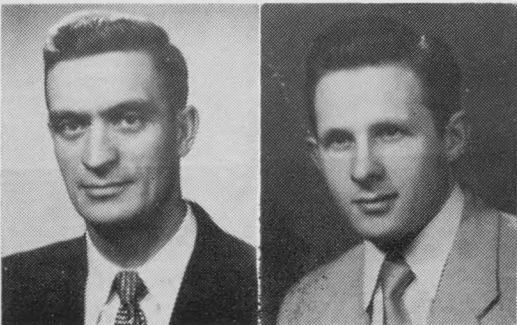
"Blessed are all they that put their trust in him."—Ps. 2:12.

JUSTINA NEUFELD, Countess, Alta.

". . . In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength."—Is. 30:15.

RUDOLF WIENS, Herschel, Sask.

"O welch eine Tiefe des Reichtums, beides der Weisheit und Erkenntnis Gottes! Wie gar unbegreiflich sind seine Gerichte und unerforschlich seine Wege."—Rom. 11:33.



First Year



EVELYN A. BAERGEN, Tofield, Alta.

"For we walk by faith, not by sight."—II Cor. 5:7.

LAURA BERGEN, Drake, Sask.

"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help."—Psalm 121:1.

DOROTHY BLOCK, Blytheswood, Ont.

"Das ist ein köstlich Ding, dem Herrn danken, und lobsingem deinem Namen, du Höchster."—Psalm 92:2.

HELEN BLOCK, Waldheim, Sask.

"Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass."—Psalm 37:5.

ANNE BOSCHMAN, Tofield, Alta.

"And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God."—Rom. 8:28.



BOB BROWN, Sardis, B.C.

"To thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. O my God, I trust in thee."—Ps. 25:1, 2.

EDMUND DOERKSEN, Morden, Man.

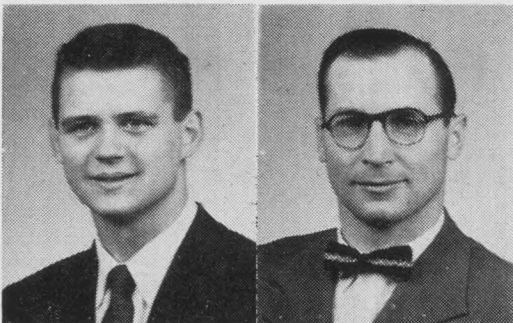
"For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ."—I Cor. 3:11.

PHILIP DYCK, Chilliwack, B.C.

"Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth."—Col. 3:2.

NELLIE ENNS, Lena, Man.

"Lobe den Herrn, meine Seele, und vergiss nicht, was er dir Gutes getan hat."—Ps. 103:2.



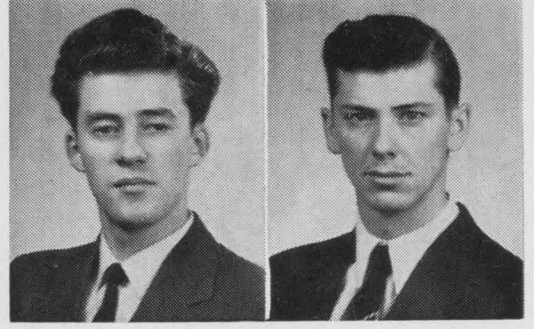


ANNIE EPP, Mt. Lehman, B.C.

"Auf dass ich Christum gewinne und in ihm gefunden werde."—Phil. 3:8ff, 9.

FRIEDA FAST, Chilliwack, B.C.

"In thy presence is fulness of joy."—Ps. 16:11.

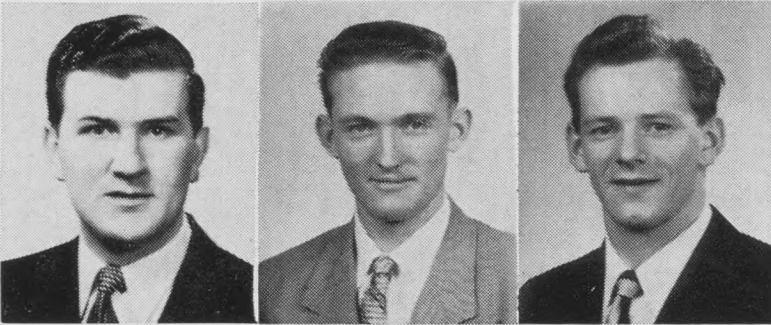


LINDSAY W. FAST, Saskatoon, Sask.

"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help."—Ps. 121:1.

VICTOR FAST, Chortitz, Man.

"Danket dem Herrn; denn er ist freundlich, und seine Güte währet ewiglich."—Ps. 106:1.



HERB FRANSEN, Winnipeg, Man.

"... For I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content."—Phil. 4:11.

DAVE FRIESEN, Elm Creek, Man.

"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me."—Ps. 23:4.

WALDO HARDER, Beamsville, Ont.

"For I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day."—II Tim. 1:12.

ARCHIE A. HARMES, Aldergrove, B.C.

"Dein Wort ist meines Fusses Leuchte und ein Licht auf meinem Wege."—Ps. 119:105.

ERNA HEINRICHS, Virgil, Ont.

"Befiehl dem Herrn deine Wege, und hoffe auf ihn; er wird's wohl machen."—Ps. 37:5.

JAKE HEINRICHS, Winkler, Man.

"For to me to live is Christ."—Phil. 1:21.

MARYANNE ISAAC, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

"The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?"—Ps. 27:1.





KATHLEEN JANZEN, Arnaud, Man.

"And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God."—Eph. 6:17.

VICTOR JANZEN, Arnaud, Man.

"Denn Gott its's, der in euch wirkt beides, das Wollen und das Vollbringen, nach seinem Wohlgefallen."—Phil. 2:13.



TINA KLASSEN, Abbotsford, B.C.

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee."—Isa. 26:3.

ANNE NEUFELD, Margaret, Man.

"I am crucified with Christ; nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me."—Gal. 2:20.

HILDA NEUFELD, Didsbury, Alta.

"Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you."—I Pet. 5:7.

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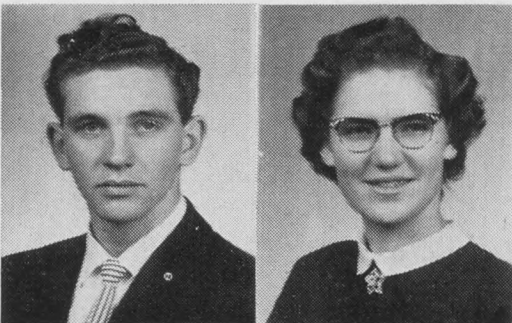


HENRY OLFERT, Aldergrove, B.C.

"For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace."—Rom. 8:6.

SUSAN PANKRATZ, Winnipeg, Man.

"Verlass dich auf den Herrn von ganzem Herzen, und verlass dich nicht auf deinen Verstand."—Sp. 3:5.

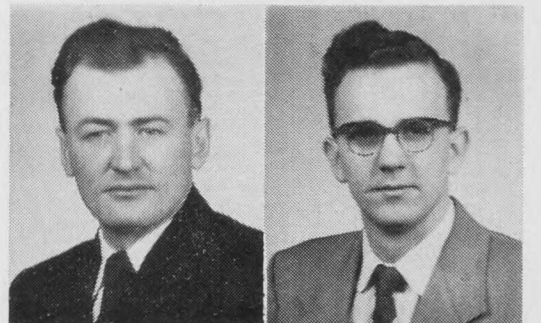


JAKE PAULS, Morden, Man.

"But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."—I Cor. 15:57.

ABRAM PETERS, Altona, Man.

"For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive."—I Cor. 15:22.



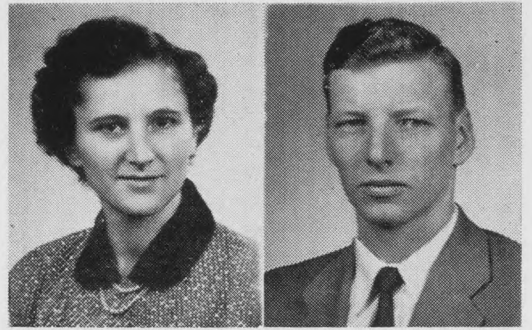


ANNE PETERS, Gnadenthal, Man.

"Weise mir, Herr, deinen Weg, dass ich wandle in deiner Wahrheit."—Ps. 86:11.

HELEN PETERS, Coaldale, Alta.

"In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths."—Prov. 3:6.



MARTHA PETERS, Chilliwack, B.C.

"I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go."—Ps. 32:8.

WALDEMAR P. REGIER, Laird, Sask.

"My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth."—Ps. 121:2.



WILHELM REMPEL, Chilliwack, B.C.

"The Lord is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings."—Ps. 145:17.

LENA SAWATZKY, Lowe Farm, Man.

"In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths."—Prov. 3:6.

CAROLE SCHMIDT, Rosthern, Sask.

"Teach me thy way, O Lord; I will walk in thy truth."—Ps. 86:11.

BERNARD STOBBE, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

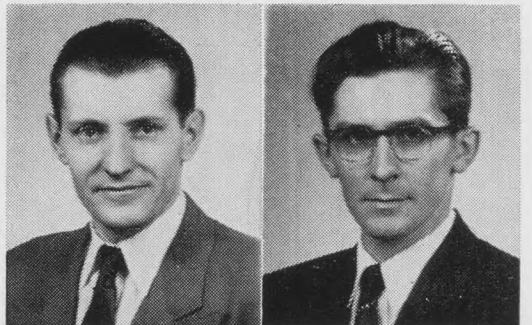
"Weise mir, Herr, deinen Weg, dass ich wandle in deiner Wahrheit."—Ps. 86:11.

WILLIAM SUDERMANN, Vancouver, B.C.

"My grace is sufficient for thee; for my strength is made perfect in weakness."—II Cor. 12:9.

JOHN A. THIESSEN, MacGregor, Man.

"As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."—Jos. 24:15.





MARGARET THIESSEN, Fitzmaurice, Sask.

"Denn er hat den, der von keiner Sünde wusste, für uns zur Sünde gemacht, auf dass wir würden in ihm die Gerechtigkeit, die vor Gott gilt."—II Cor. 5:21.

BERTHA THIESSEN, Blytheswood, Ont.

"But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."—Matth. 6:33.



VALENTINE THIESSEN, Whitewater, Man.

"Du hast mich erlöst, Herr du treuer Gott."—Ps. 31:61.

IVAN R. UNGER, Rosthern, Sask.

"Here am I; send me."—Is. 6:8.

ARTHUR WALDE, Kindersley, Sask.

"Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me."—Ps. 51:10.

KATIE TOEWS, Leamington, Ont.

"Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass."—Ps. 37:5.



GERARD WARKENTIN, Superb, Sask.

"Lass dir an meiner Gnade genügen; denn meine Kraft ist in den Schwachen mächtig."—II Cor. 12:9.

TINA WARKENTIN, Superb, Sask.

"Denn ich bin der Herr, dein Gott, der deine rechte Hand stärkt und zu dir spricht: Fürchte dich nicht, ich helfe dir."—Jes. 41:13.

BILL WIEBE, Abbotsford, B.C.

"That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection."—Phil. 3:10.

IRMA WIENS, Herschel, Sask.

"Barmherzig und gnädig ist der Herr, geduldig und von grosser Güte."—Ps. 103:8.





The new Canadian Mennonite Bible College

Einweihung

Herr, wie heilig ist diese Stätte . . .

Sie ist dem Herrn geweiht, diese Stätte der christlichen Erziehung; sie ist Ihm zur Verfügung gestellt, jeder Saal, jeder Raum, jede Halle, und alles was darinnen ist.

Vor einem Jahr war dieser Bau nur ein Zukunftstraum. Nicht durch Wünschen oder Hoffen, sondern durch weises Planen, schwere Arbeit, anhaltendes Gebet, und am allermeisten durch Gottes Führung ist der Traum zur Wirklichkeit geworden.

Das Einweihungs- und Dankfest fand am 8. Januar, 1956, statt. Andachtssaal, Räume und Hallen konnten nicht die Scharen der Besucher fassen, und daher konnten leider manche nicht an dieser Feier teilnehmen.

Einweihungsfest — versammelten wir uns nur dazu, um das neue Haus dem Herrn zu weihen? Brachten nur dazu Konferenzleiter, Provinzialvertreter, Schulbeamte und andere Gäste nur dazu passende Worte und Segenswünsche? Nur dazu stiegen Gebete empor? Ja, das war die Absicht, nämlich dem grossen Gott zu danken und Ihn den Tempel zu weihen. Das Weihegebet wurde vom Vorsitzenden der Collegebehörde gesprochen.

Doch dass der innere Zweck dieser Weihe tiefer ging, merkte ein jeder Anbeter. Wir wissen, dass die Einweihung eines Hauses ohne die Weihe

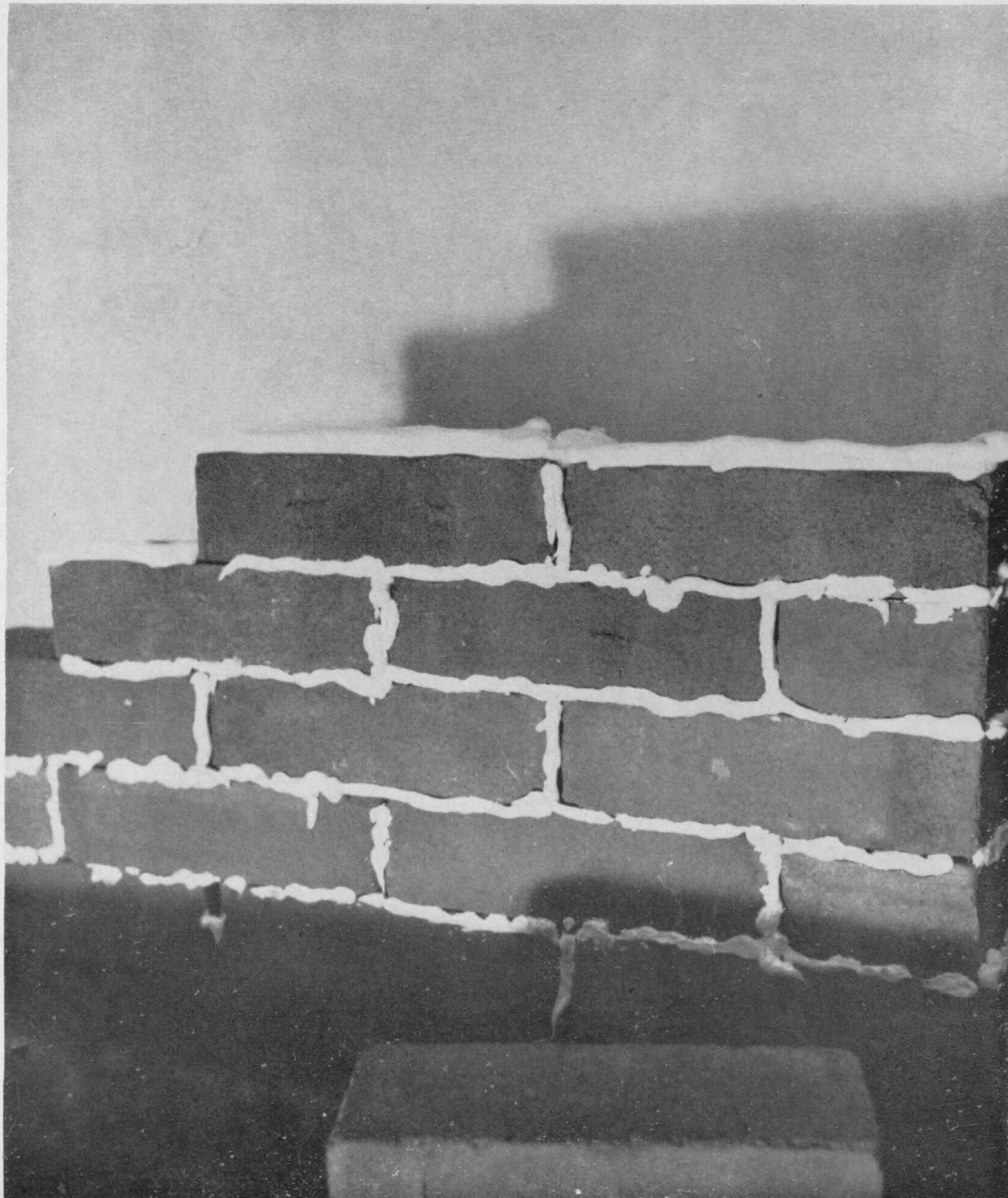
der Einwohner und Besitzer nur leere Form ist. Das Gebäude ist nur die äussere Hülle des unsichtbaren Wesens. Die Tätigkeit in der Schule, der Fortschritt im Glauben, das Wachstum in der wahren Liebe — darin offenbart sich das eigentliche Wesen des Colleges. Dass ein jeder, der einen Anteil an diesem Werk hat, sich von neuem völlig dem Herrn hingeben möchte, war das innere Ziel dieses Festes.

Soll nun dieser Bau des Herrn Stätte bleiben, so muss das innere Wesen desselben dauernd von Gottes Gegenwart beeinflusst werden. Deshalb müssen wir uns alle, Lernende, Lehrende, und Eigentümer so lange das College steht, stets von neuem dem Herrn weihen, damit Sein Geist uns alle regiere.

“. . . Dem Herrn, unserm Gott, weihen wir dieses College und übergeben es dem Dienst des dreieinigen Gottes . . . damit es eine Stätte sei und bleibe, wo seine Ehre wohnt, sein Ruhm gelehrt und verkündigt wird und seine grosse Wunder und Taten gehört werden von Kind zu Kindeskind. Möge Gott geben, dass sein göttliches Wort hier erhalten bleibe, damit wir und unsere Nachkommen auch an dieser Stätte Ihn, der allein wahrer Gott ist, und den Er gesandt hat, Jesus Christus, erkennen und in dieser Erkenntnis gerecht, heilig und selig leben . . .”

Mary L. Rempel.

Cementing Activities





STUDENT COUNCIL

Peter Letkeman, vice-president; Katie Kehler, Jessie Neufeld, secretary; Bernie Retzlaff, Diedrich Gerbrandt, president; Menno Epp.

Student President's Report

Frequent allegorical reference is made in Scriptures to building. This is a process which requires great care. The architect must not only anticipate the end result from the beginning but he must also design an efficient working plan so that every move will add towards the final total structure. Every individual is also incessantly building, placing stone on stone, layer on layer, in the structure of his character. Man builds well or ill as he regards or disregards the Divine Architect.

This analogy of building connotes a double aspect in that man is not only the builder but also the material out of which structures are erected. Invariably stones do not fit into the exact places allotted to them but must be remodelled by the precise blows of a hammer. Students also are not "made to measure," material, but need "refitting" and "reshaping," before they become an integral part of God's temple. Honest self examination will reveal protruding edges and

rugged corners that need to be chipped off. Through self discipline and training, through an adherence to God's Word, and the leading of His Spirit we are molded to fit into the fabric of this "Spiritual Home."

Much as individual believers submit to the influence of the Master's hand, they need to be united one to another, to make out of this edifice a completed structure. Various factors promote this attachment one to another. The struggles and victories of our forefathers, which in the course of time have formulated into a rich heritage, have equally become ours. Basically though, it is the convictions we formulate through our experiences as disciples, that determines our mutual feeling of oneness. Faith and love are the ingredients of the cement, that combines stone to stone, in this beautiful temple, built on the chief corner, the Lord Jesus Christ.

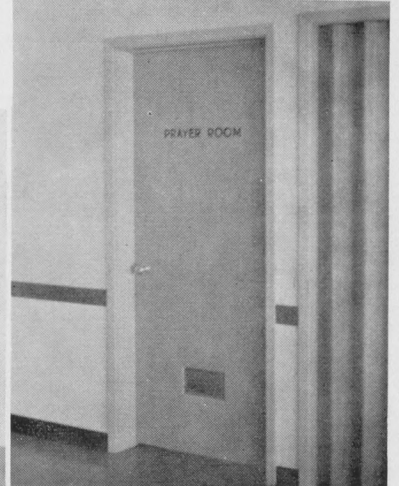
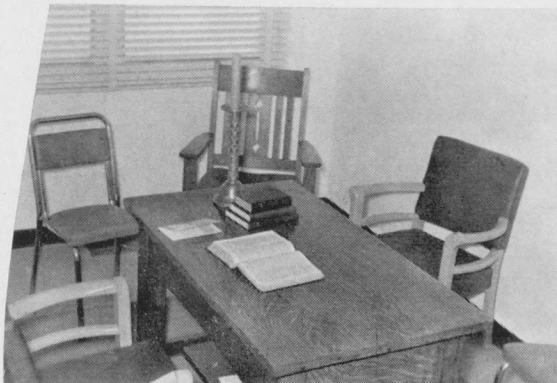
Diedrich Gerbrandt.

Faith and Life



Bernard Retzlaff, chairman
Clara Dyck
Anne Neufeld
Victor Fast

- FOSTERING SPIRITUAL LIFE
- DAILY DEVOTIONS
- STUDENT CHAPEL SERVICE
- PRAYER DAY



Service



Katie Kehler, chairman
Margaret Thiessen
Dick Neufeld
Jake Heinrichs



- CHILD EVANGELISM
- HOSPITAL VISITATION WORK
- EVANGELISM AMONG JEWS
- OUR SERVICE VEHICLE
- HOME FOR DELINQUENT GIRLS

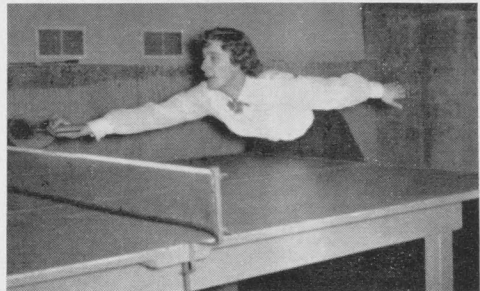
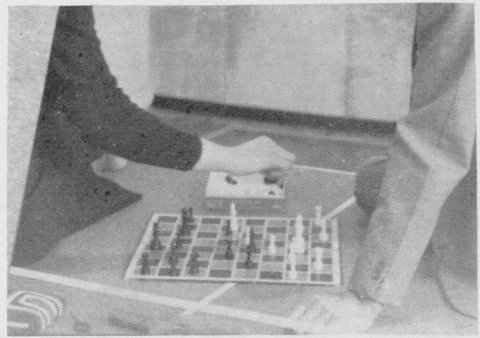


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Katie Bergen
Frieda Fast
Ivan Unger

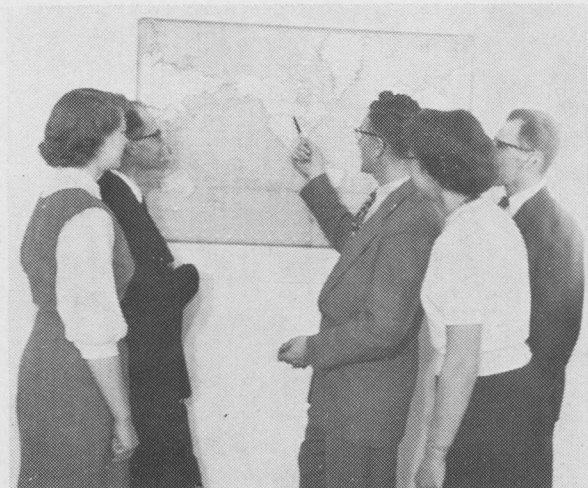
- LEISURE TIME
- PING PONG
- SOCIAL EVENINGS
- VOLLEY BALL



Auxiliary

Missionary Band

- PLANNING OF PRAYER MEETINGS
- STUDY OF OUR MISSION FIELDS
- TAPE RECORDINGS TO MISSIONARIES
- CREATING MISSIONARY INTEREST AMONG STUDENTS



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Otto Hamm
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- STORY TELLING CONTEST
- CHRISTMAS PLAY
- DAVID COPPERFIELD



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- CLARINET CONCERT
- PLAYING OF RECORDS
- VOICE AND PIANO RECITAL
- AROUSING INTEREST IN MUSIC



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Irma Wiens

Katie Bergen

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- PREPARING AND PUBLISHING
THE BI-MONTHLY STUDENT PAPER
- MAILINGS TO EX-STUDENTS
- HOT OFF THE PRESS!



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John Bergen, assistant business manager



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Cornelia Lehn, editor
G. Lohrenz, faculty adviser



Samaritan Service



John Neufeld, chairman

Kathy Klassen, secretary and nurse

- STUDENTS' MEDICAL AID PLAN
- ADMINISTERING FIRST AID



HERR, WIR SIND DEIN!

Wir sassen, Herr, zu Deinen Füßen
 Und horchten Deiner Lehre staunend zu.
 Vergib, o Meister, dass so manches wir vergessen; —
 Und doch, — häuf' Du des Leben's Lehre noch dazu!

Heim geh'n wir nun in die Gemeinden.
 Rüst', Herr, uns aus mit Deiner Demut mild,
 Mit Deiner Sanftmut, Deiner Liebe, Deinem Frieden. —
 Mach' unsern Wandel treu — nach Deinem Ebenbild.

Schenk' frohen Sinn, o Gott, zum Dienen;
 Schenk' off'ne Augen, Weisheit und Geduld;
 Dass Du erkennbar sei'st im stillen, täglich Wirken. —
 Herr, wir sind Dein — brauch' Du uns wie es Dir gefällt!

—Clara K. Dyck.

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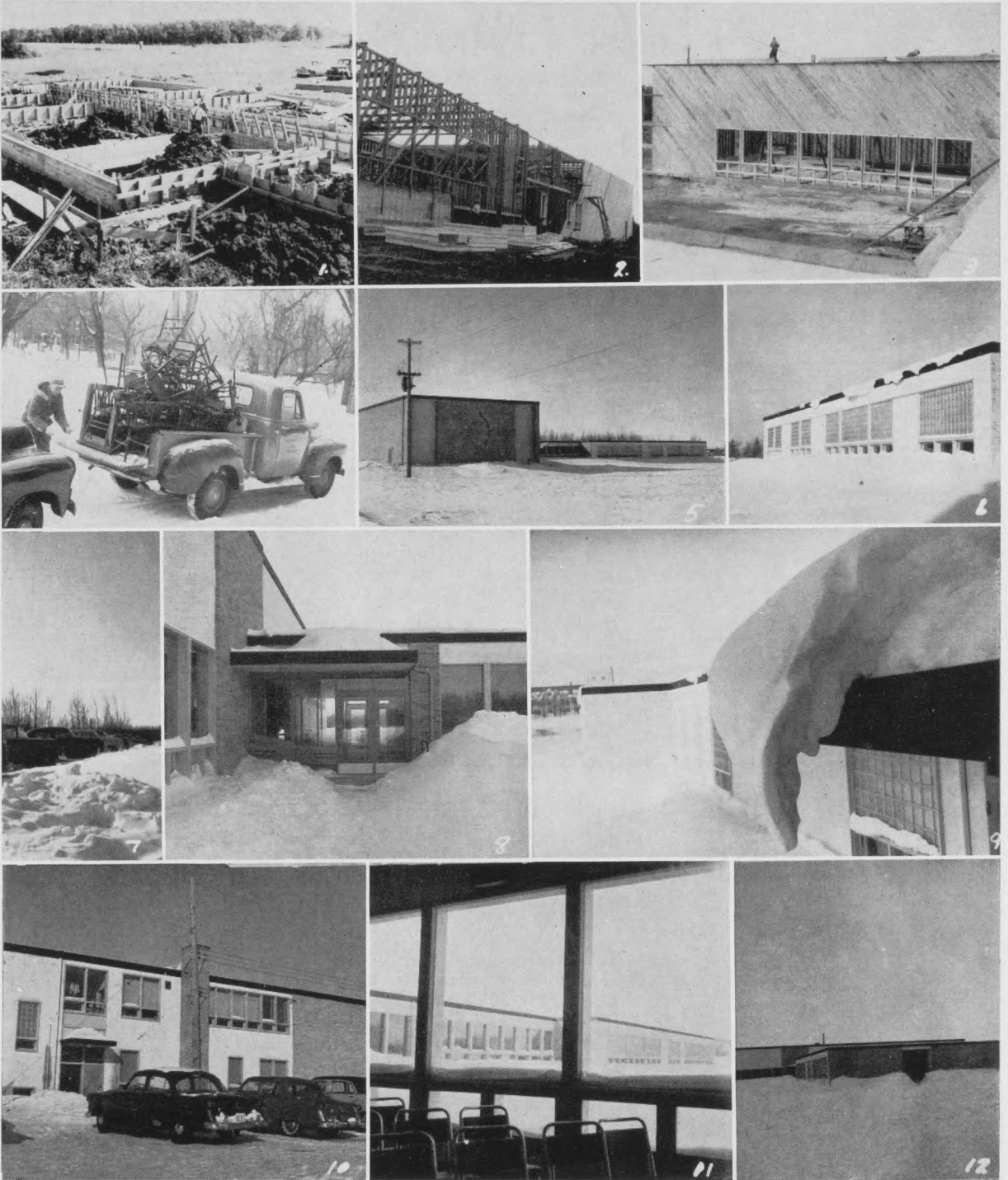
Student at Bluffton

C. M. B. C. Diary 1955-56

- Oct. 5—Classes begin.
- Oct. 17-20—Christian Life Week—Rev. J. J. Thiesen guest speaker in the morning chapel, also personal consultant.
- Oct. 19—Mr. Van Gilse of Heerewegen, Holland, informed us of the Peace Group in Holland.
- Oct. 31—Chapel Service—Rev. Andrew Shelly — “Missions” based on I Kor. 8:9.
- Nov. 2—Rev. Levi Keidel—Missionary to Belgian Congo, gave informative talk on Missionary Work.
- Nov. 21—Rev. Peter Harder—Field Secretary of General Conference, guest speaker.
- Nov. 23—Rev. N. Friesen—Chapel Service.
- Dec. 5—Rev. H. M. Epp—Abbotsford, B.C., guest speaker in Chapel.
- Dec. 11—Christmas program presented by C.M.B.C. at First Mennonite Church.
- Dec. 27—Moving into the new college.
- Jan. 8—Dedication of the new college.
- Jan. 9—First day of classes in our new college. Guest speaker, Dr. Pannabecker from our Seminary at Chicago.
- Jan. 9-10—Bill Gering, field secretary of Y.P.U., spoke to the student body.
- Jan. 17—Rev. Bruno Enss, guest speaker at Chapel. (Greendale, B.C.)
- Jan. 23-31—Choir School conducted by Dr. W. Hohman. Chapel theme—Wonders of the Universe.
- Jan. 27—C.M.B.C. visited M.B.B.C.
- Feb. 7-10—Bible week, study of the Book of Acts with Dr. Erland Waltner.
- Feb. 28—C.M.B.C. graduate Esther Patkau, missionary on furlough from Japan, visited the college. Accompanying her was Rev. W. F. Unruh, Newton, Kansas.
- Mar. 2—Universal Prayer Day—Theme James 5:16.
- Mar. 5—Former student, Sara Dyck, missionary to Congo, spoke at Chapel.
- Mar. 8—A delegation of four men from Indonesia, studying Canada's Educational System, visited C.M.B.C.
- Mar. 12—Dr. I. I. Friesen, President of C.M.B.C., leaving to study at Princeton Theological Seminary, gave a farewell talk at Chapel.
- Mar. 17—Last Prayer and Testimony Meeting of the winter term.
- Mar. 23—College Choir left to tour the Ontario churches.

CMBC Oratorio Choir in Ontario





1. Foundation work.

2. The framework.

3. Steady progress.

4. Moving over to Tuxedo.

5. Facing the sun!

6. Classrooms.

7. College parkade.

8. Front entrance.

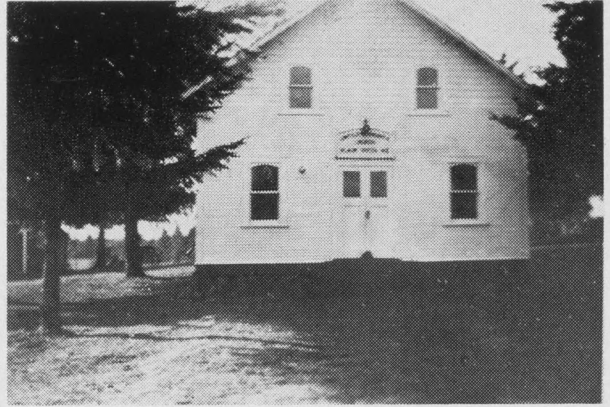
9. Mr. Winter, architect.

10. Die Alltagstür.

11. Out of the chapel window.

12. Winter trail.

"Selig sind die nicht sehen
und doch glauben."
John 20:29



VEREINIGTE MENNONITEN GEMEINDE

Leitender: Rev. W. Dirks

Black Creek, B.C.

Niverviller Mennoniten Gemeinde

Niverville, Manitoba

"Lasset uns aber rechtschaffen sein
in der Liebe and wachsen in allen
Stuecken an dem, der das Haupt
ist, Christus."

Eph. 4:15

Leitender: Rev. J. J. Klassen

Erste Vereinigte Mennoniten Gemeinde

Vancouver, B.C.

"Und das Wort ward Fleisch und
wohnte unter uns, und wir sahen
seine Herrlichkeit."

John 1:14

Leitender: Rev. J. B. Wiens

Name von College Studenten

Wilhelm Suderman



1. Front hall.

2. Records, registrations and fees.

3. Before eight.

4. Leads to unknown.

5. Light ahead!

6. Administration offices.

7. Teacher's office.

8. Stacks of wisdom.

9. College sanctuary.

10. In the "quiet" of the library!

11. Mrs. Wiens' "home."

12. For a rounded personality.

13. After four.

"Einen andren Grund kann niemand
legen ausser dem, der gelegt ist,
welcher ist Jesus Christus."

I Kor. 3:11



Niagara Vereinigte Mennoniten Gemeinde

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario

Leitender: Rev. J. A. Dyck

Name von College Studenten:

Peter and Helen Klassen Henry and Marianne Isaac
Bernhard Stobbe Katharine Klassen Erna Heinrichs

Bergthaler Mennoniten Gemeinde

Rosenfeld, Man.

"Gott, der da hiess das Licht aus
der Finsternis hervorleuchten, der hat
einen hellen Schein in unsere Herzen
gegeben."

II Kor. 4:6

Leitender der Gemeinde:

Rev. J. P. Heinrichs

Elim Mennonite Church

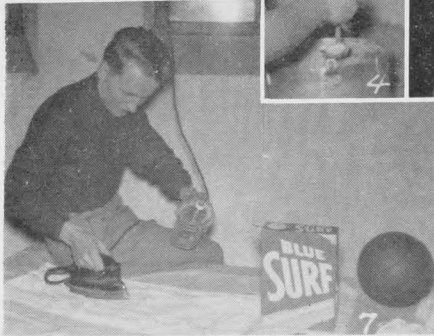
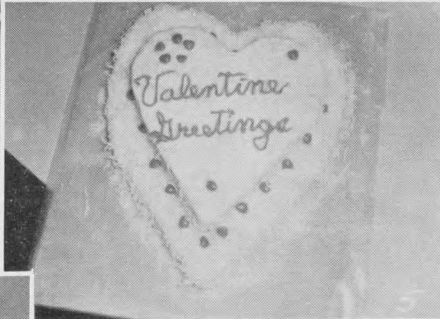
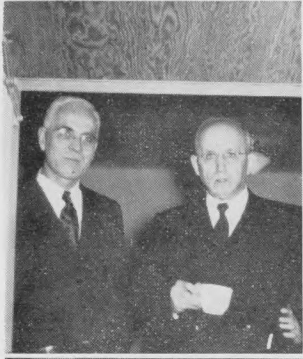
Grunthal, Man.

"Aber die auf den Herrn harren,
kriegen neue Kraft, dass sie auffah-
ren mit Fluegeln wie Adler, dass sie
laufen and nicht matt werden, dass
sie wandeln und nicht muede wer-
den."

Jes. 40:31

Leitender der Gemeinde:

Rev. H. A. Warkentin



1. Two presidents.

2. Graduate, home from Japan.

3. Provisional council.

4. Two many cooks.

5. Feb. 14, dinner treat.

6. On the "board."

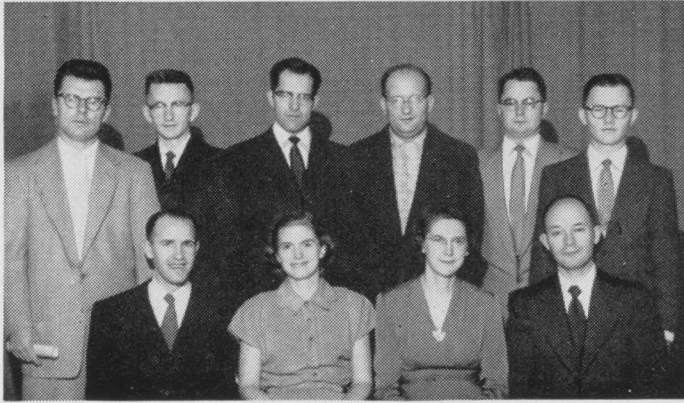
7. Really on the ball!

8. Young in heart.

9. Sunday tea.

10. Time to philosophi.

11. Let 'er go!



Canadian students attending Mennonite Biblical Seminary greet you.
Mennonite Biblical Seminary congratulates Canadian Mennonite
Bible College upon the acquiring of their new home.

"For other foundation can no man lay than that
is laid, which is Jesus Christ." 1 Cor. 3:11

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Ave., Chicago 15, Ill.

St. Catharines Vereinigte Mennoniten Gemeinde

St. Catharines, Ont.

"Dein Wort ist meines Fusses
Leuchte und ein Licht auf meinem
Wege."

Psalm 119:105

Leitender: Rev. P. J. Heinrichs

Lowe Farm Bergthaler Gemeinde

Lowe Farm, Man.

"Danket dem Herrn; predigt seinen
Namen; machet kund unter den
Voelkern sein Tun; verkuendiget wie
sein Name so hoch ist."

Jes. 12:4

Leitender: Rev. P. P. Heinrichs

First Mennonite Church

Chilliwack, B.C.

Leitender: Rev. G. I. Peters

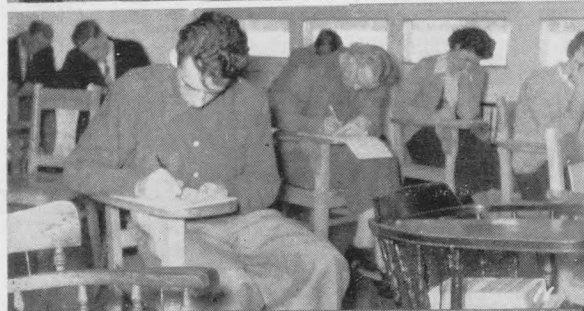
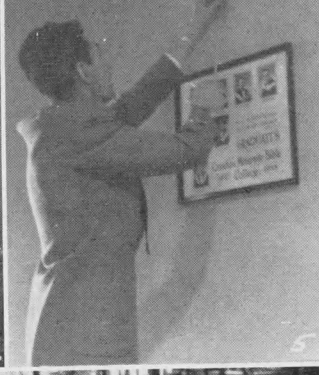
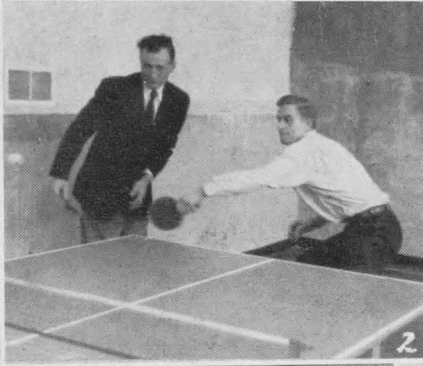
Joh. 6:45

Oliver Mennoniten Gemeinde

Oliver, B.C.

Leitender: Rev. G. A. Neufeld

Kol. 1:9



1. Little David napping.
2. Good try!
3. Chopin.
4. Unser Hausvater.
- 4a. Those married men!

5. Hall of fame.
6. O Danny Boy.
7. Friendly reception.
8. Let's not be shy.
9. New arrivals in fall.

10. Who has the best understanding?
11. "Wiederholung."
12. "I would say, this is a pleasure."
13. This work is too dry.

"Einen andren Grund kann niemand
legen ausser dem, der gelegt ist,
welcher ist Jesus Christus."

I Kor. 3:11



Schoenwieser Mennoniten Gemeinde

Pentland Street, North Kildonan, Man.

Winnipeg 5

Leitender: Rev. V. J. Schroeder

Waterloo-Kitchener Vereinigte Mennoniten Gemeinde

15 George St., Waterloo, Ont.

"Einen andren Grund kann niemand
legen ausser dem, der gelegt ist,
welcher ist Jesus Christus."

I Kor. 3:11

Leitender: H. P. Epp

Name von College Studenten
Otto Dirks

Westheimer Mennoniten Gemeinde

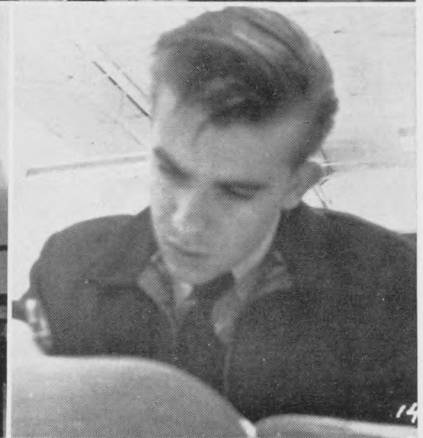
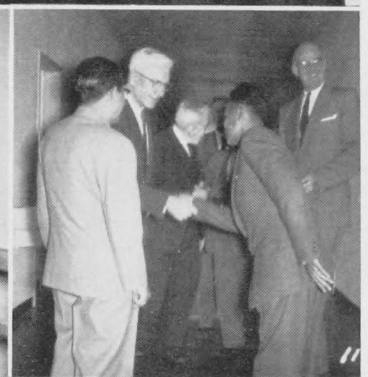
Rosemary, Alberta

"Wir danken Gott allezeit fuer euch
alle und gedenken eurer in unsern
Gebet ohne Unterlass."

I Thess. 1:2

Leitender: Rev. J. D. Nickel

Name von College Studenten
Bernard Retzlaff



1. Im Takt!

2. Zieler.

3. Letting it set.

4. Wardlaw gang.

5. Counselling.

6. Pumpernickel.

7. Under Katie's leadership.

8. Informal session.

9. Reading for free.

10. Gail Keith.

11. Mr. Lightly and the Indonesian visitors.

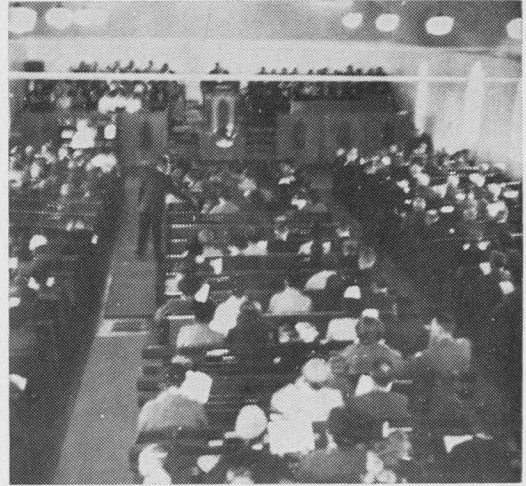
12. On tour with Oratorio.

13. Don't fall, Mr. Wiebe!

14. Soaking it in.

"Wachet, stehet im Glauben, seid
maennlich und seid stark."

I Kor. 16:13



West-Abbotsford Mennonite Church

Abbotsford, B.C.

Leitender: Rev. H. M. Epp

Name von College Studenten

William Wiebe Menno H. Epp Heinrich Olfert
Anne Epp Tina Klassen

Bethania Mennoniten Gemeinde

Watrous, Sask.

"Selig sind die das Wort Gottes
hoeren und bewahren."

Lukas 11:28

Leitender der Gemeinde:

Rev. A. J. Regier

Die Essex County Vereinigte Mennoniten Gemeinde

Leamington, Ont.

"Lasset uns aber rechtschaffen sein
in der Liebe und wachsen in allen
Stuecken an dem, der das Haupt
ist, Christus."

Eph. 4:15

Leitender: Rev. N. N. Driedger

College Studenten vom Ort

Katie Toews
Bertha Tiessen
Dora Block

Whitewater Mennoniten Gemeinde

Whitewater, Man.

Psalm 91:17

Leitender: Rev. G. G. Neufeld

"Wir aber predigen den gekreuzigten Christus, den Juden ein Aergernis und den Griechen eine Torheit."

I Kor. 1:23



Bergthaler Mennoniten Gemeinde

Winkler, Man.

Leitender: Rev. J. M. Pauls

Studenten: John R. Friesen, Jake Heinrichs

Scarboro Mennonitengemeinde

Calgary, Alberta

"Und stellet euch nicht dieser Welt gleich, sondern veraendert euch durch Erneuerung eures Sinnes, auf dass ihr pruefen moeget, welches da sei der gute, wohlgefaellige und vollkommene Gotteswille."

Rom. 12:2

Leitender der Gemeinde:

Rev. J. J. Sawatzky

Erste Mennonitengemeinde

123-4 Avenue North

Saskatoon, Sask.

"Selig sind, die das Wort hoeren und bewahren."

Lukas 11:28

Leitender der Gemeinde:

Rev. J. J. Thiessen

"So lasset uns aufsehen auf Jesum,
den Anfaenger und Vollender des
Glaubens . . ."
Heb. 12:2



Erste Mennoniten Gemeinde

Winnipeg, Man.

Leitender: Rev. J. H. Enns

Wir aber predigen den gekreuzigten Christus, den Juden ein Aergernis
und den Griechen eine Torheit; denen aber, die berufen sind, Juden
und Griechen predigen wir Christum, goettliche Kraft und goettliche
Weisheit.

I Kor. 1:23-24

Blumenorter Mennoniten Gemeinde

Gretna, Man.

Leitender: Rev. P. J. Schaefer

" . . . that in all things He might
have pre-eminence."
Col. 1:18



East Chilliwack Mennonite Church

Chilliwack, B.C.

Leitender: Rev. W. L. Rempel

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Frieda Fast Martha Peters

Henry Rempel Philip Dyck Wilhelm Rempel

Bergthaler Gemeinde

Plum Coulee, Man.

"Der mache euch fertig in allem
guten Werk, zu tun seinen Willen,
und schaffe in euch, was vor ihm
gefaellig ist."
Heb. 13:21

Leitender: Rev. B. P. Wiebe

Steinbach Mennoniten Gemeinde

Steinbach, Man.

"Wenn ich mich zu Bette lege, so
denke ich an dich; wenn ich erwache,
so rede ich von dir."
Psalm 63:6

Leitender: Rev. P. J. Reimer

Hoffnungsfeld Gemeinde

Petaigan, Sask.

Leitender: Rev. J. C. Boschman
II Petri 2:24

Westheimer Mennoniten Gemeinde

Gem, Alberta

Leitender: Rev. A. J. Paetkau
Lukas 4:20

"Aber der feste Grund Gottes besteht und hat dieses Siegel: Der Herr kennt die Seinen."

II Tim. 2:19



Coaldale Mennoniten Gemeinde

Coaldale, Alberta

Leitender: Rev. P. Schellenberg

Vineland Vereinigte Mennoniten Gemeinde

Vineland, Ontario

"Ihr aber seid getrost und tut eure Haende nicht ab, denn euer Werk hat seinen Lohn."

II Chron. 15:8

Leitender: Rev. J. Wichert

Studenten:

Waldo Harder, Herb Fransen

Springstein Mennoniten Gemeinde

Springstein, Man.

"Wachet, stehet im Glauben, seid maennlich und seid stark."

I Kor. 16:13

Leitender der Gemeinde:

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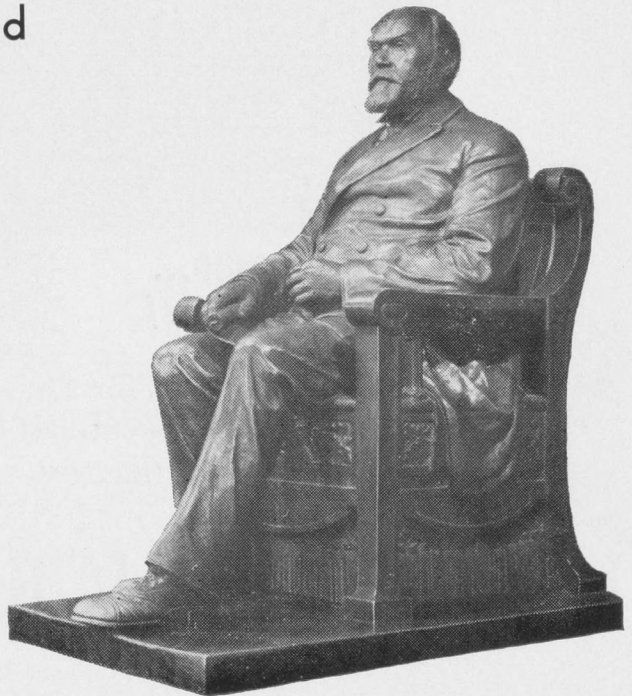
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